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OFFICE OF THE
EXECUTIVE SECRETARY
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Via Hand Delivery

David Waddell
Executive Secretary
Tennessee Regulatory Authority
460 James Robertson Parkway
Nashville, TN 37243

RE: Petition for Arbitration by ITC^DeltaCom Communications, Inc. with BellSouth
Telecommunications, Inc., Pursuant to the Telecommunications Act of 1996; Docket
No. 99-00430

Dear Mr. Waddell:

I am making the following request for guidance on behalf of my client, ITC^DeltaCom
Communications, Inc. BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. also joins in this letter.

In the Final Order of Arbitration of February 23, 2001, the arbitrators ordered the parties to
file their Interconnection Agreement within 30 days of the entry of the Order (Monday, March 26).
BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. filed a Motion for Reconsideration and Clarification on March
12, 2001. In light of such motion and the agreed extension of time for DeltaCom to respond to the
motion, the parties assume that the date for the filing of an Interconnection Agreement is suspended.
If we are not correct in this assumption, please contact me.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Sincerely,

H. LaDon Baltimore
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